

## LOCAL IN BRIEF

R. S. Richard, of Napton, was up Monday.

A. J. Hurt, of Wanamaker, was in the city Monday.

N. H. Dotson, of Nelson, was a visitor here Monday.

Frank Ayres, of Slater, was in the county seat Tuesday.

R. P. Halsel, of Pilot Grove, visited friends here Sunday.

R. T. Pence, of Napton, spent Sunday with friends here.

Cecil Wilson came in Tuesday evening from a successful trip.

Frank Brown made a business trip to Salisbury this week.

Diphtheria has entirely disappeared from the Napton neighborhood.

Willis W. Sphar, of Chicago, is visiting his parents and family.

J. L. and S. P. Houston, of Malta Bend, were in our town Monday.

C. W. Parent made a trip to Slater Monday and left Tuesday for Bunce-ton.

At the New York Store you will find a host of useful presents for Christmas.

J. P. Loftus, after a week's illness, is back at his post in the circuit clerk's office.

Miss Bertha Lake is very dangerously ill at her home in West Marshall.

Martin Gaudin left Tuesday with an excursion party for Port Arthur, Texas.

Martin E. Carter, of William Jewell College at Liberty, visited friends here Sunday.

J. F. Castle, of the Herndon neighborhood, attended to business here Monday.

A. B. Hoy returned Monday from Arrow Rock, where he visited his children.

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R. S. Maunden, of Brown's drug store, was the guest of friends at Glasgow Sunday.

Mrs. L. M. Steele returned Saturday from a short visit to relatives in Sweet Springs.

Miss Lucy Mettore has taken board with Mrs. Mary Harvey on North Jefferson street.

Mrs. J. A. DeBerry, of Paola, Kansas, is the guest of Mrs. R. T. Wharton of this city.

Mrs. Cecil Wilson left Thursday for St. Joe to visit Mrs. Charles Thompson for a week.

E. A. Furry, who has been home on the sick list, started out Tuesday for a short trip on the road.

A. Peecher was well enough on Sunday to visit his old friends, Ed Gaudin and family, in the country.

Dr. D. L. Radier and wife, of Denver, are guests of the former's sisters, Mesdames Bewley and Burks, of this city.

J. V. Witherbee, a cattle man, who with his wife spent several months in our city at Hotel Hurt, was here Monday.

Leonard Peters, at present attending business college at Quincy, Ill., will be home in a few days to spend the holidays.

Mrs. H. G. Stidham and her beautiful little daughter, Velma, have returned from a visit to friends at Higginsville.

Robert Elsea, of Mount Leonard, was shaking hands and receiving the congratulations of his many friends here Monday.

Robert Ham, of Slater, the new sheriff, is moving into the old jail this week. We give the gentleman and his family a cordial welcome.

Miss Iola Vawter returned Saturday from a visit to friends at Salt Springs. She was accompanied by Miss Flora Keithley, who spent several days.

Perry Campbell and wife, of St. Louis, arrived Monday morning for a visit to their mother and sister, Mrs. Eliza Guthrie and Mrs. John Pickett, on North Jefferson avenue.

Mr. Walker is in our city tuning the pipe organ at the M. E. church, South. He was sent here by Killyen & Sons, of St. Louis, the firm from whom the organ was purchased.

Mrs. W. P. Sparks and little daughter, Mildred, arrived in our city Monday night and will spend the winter with her parents, James Boyer and wife, on North Jefferson avenue.

Mrs. M. R. Thornhill, of Fulton, who has been making a visit to Kansas City friends is the guest of Mrs. T. W. Hunter. Mrs. Thornhill is enroute to Fayette for a visit.

The New York Store is noted for getting up handsome windows, but never has it shown so much taste as in the present Japanese window, filled with beautiful pillows of every conceivable style and pattern, rugs, draperies, etc. Don't fail to see it.

Mrs. J. T. Coleman and son, Russell, of Nelson, were in town Monday shopping. They spent the night at Hotel Hurt and left for Nelson Tuesday morning. They were accompanied by the former's mother, Mrs. L. A. Clinton, who was enroute to her home in Mexico.

The buildings belonging to the Ming estate on the south side of the square are being remodeled and will when finished add greatly to the appearance of the south side. The work, in charge of Mr. Shropshire, is being rapidly pushed to completion before the extreme cold weather sets in.

Ben Wilson, who for a number of years was post master in Marshall, but for years has been a resident of Denver, will arrive this week for a visit to his mother, Mrs. Mary E. Wilson and sister, Mrs. Annie Vance. Mr. Wilson will be accompanied by his son William of New York City, who will also make a visit.

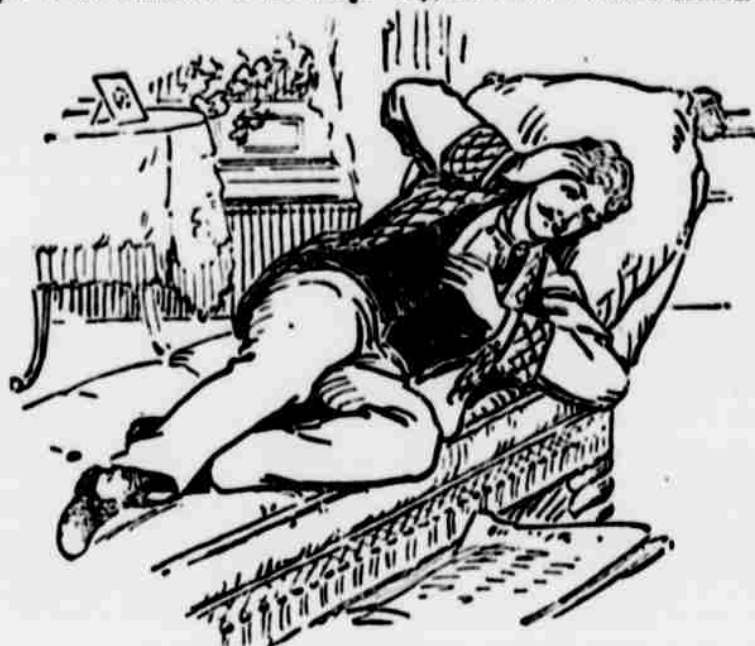
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## A MISERABLE MAN.

## Two Years and Six Months Without Sleep.

Sleep seems to be in many cases a matter of habit, just as eating and drinking are habits. The Arab whose desert life leads to abstinence, declines the offer of a draught of water, saying, "No thank you, I drank yesterday." He drinks only when thirsty, and like his own camels, he can go long and far without water.

It's much the same with sleep. When Gabet and Huc, the French missionaries, were exploring Tartary they engaged in the translation of the Scrip-



tures, working without intermission day and night. When one felt the need of sleep he lay on a couch, holding in his hand a ball, beneath which, on the floor, was a brazen bowl. When his muscles relaxed sufficiently to release the ball, it fell into the bowl, and the noise awakened the sleeper who resumed his work.

But it is one thing to give up sleep and another thing altogether to be unable to sleep. Those who suffer from asthma, bronchitis and other diseases of the organs of respiration are only too familiar with this enforced wakefulness. They would give almost anything for a night's unbroken rest.

## THE SECRET OF SLEEP

For them lies in the cure of the diseases which banish slumber. That this cure is possible is abundantly proven by those who have used Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the cure of bronchitis, obstinate and deep-seated coughs, lung "trouble" and other diseases of the organs of respiration.

"I can this day say that Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the best and only remedy I have ever found for what the doctors call asthma," writes Mr. F. G. Rodemeyer, of 45 Hayden Street, Fort Wayne, Ind. "I have suffered from hay-fever (and I get the asthma with it), every year in August and September for the last fifteen years, and could not sleep one night during that time, until this year, I have not lost one night's sleep, thanks to Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery; and best of all I did not get the asthma with the hay-fever, and I only used two bottles of the 'Golden Medical Discovery.'"

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## WHAT FEW MEN KNOW,

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covery with one bottle of Dr. Sage's Catarrh Remedy cured me, and to-day I am well and hearty, and I will say further that my former physician, Dr. W. M. Lyday, recommends Dr. Pierce's medicine to me and to others. I am sure your medicines will cure any case of catarrh that exists. I recommend them to all."

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